

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventor: Masatoshi TAKEDA et al. Art Unit 1797
Appln. No.: 10/734,568 Exr. S. Siefke
Filed: December 15, 2003 Conf. No. 2482
For: MICROPUMP, MICROPUMP UNIT INCLUDING THE MICROPUMP,
SAMPLE PROCESSING CHIP FOR USE WITH THE UNIT, AND SHEET
CONNECTOR FOR USE WITH THE UNIT

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency dated February 26, 2009, the
Applicants hereby request that the above-captioned application be amended as follows: